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ELECTROMAGNETIC RADIATION (E.M.R.) HEAT, SENSOR ARRAY AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants herewith submit this Preliminary Amendment to the application filed herewith, for consideration prior to the calculation of the filing fee, as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-16 and replace with new claims 17-32.

- 17. (New) Electromagnetic radiation heat detecting device comprising at least two microbridge detectors with mechanical support devices with a signal processing circuit provided by the detectors in which microbridge suspended layers of two neighboring detectors are linked together by additional mechanical connections separate from the mechanical support devices.
- 18. (New) Device according to claim 17, in which each of the mechanical connections is an extension of at least one of the suspended microbridge layers.
  - 19. (New) Device according to claim 17, in which each of the mechanical